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## EVANGELICAL RUSSIANS

long time, leader of the Russian Student Christian Union ; *Hand-book for the Study of the Gospel of St. John*, by the already mentioned Professor W. Marzinkowskij ; Moody's little book on *The Enjoyment and Profit of Bible Study* ; R. A. Torrey's book, *How to Lead Souls to Christ* ; P. Smith's, *The Apostle Paul : His Life and Letters*, and also certain books by leading members of the German communities, Pastor Modersohn, Jakob Kroeker, etc. Also Sadhu Sundar Singh's *At the Feet of Jesus* must be considered for Russian translation.

The evangelical communities among the Russian and Ukrainian people present to us a field of great responsibility and possibility, an open door for brotherly service and help. Their struggles and sufferings, which, in themselves, have been difficult enough, gather special significance through the poignant background which the persecuted groups, in their homeland of Russia, represent. They await, and we with them, a day of freedom when the Lord of the Church will once more allow His Gospel to have free course through the wide Russian State, without hindrances and limitations. We must hope that a new day will thus dawn for the Gospel among the Slav peoples of the East. Meanwhile we evangelical Christians of the West must support our brethren of the East in the earnest fellowship of prayer and help.

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### ' International Atheism '

It is reported that the Russian Godless Associations will, in 1939, open in Moscow international schools for the training of propagandists against the missionary work of the Church in foreign lands. Natives of these lands will be preferred, and some Africans, Indians and Arabs are already available. Training will last for one year and the cost will be borne by the Russians.

The new paganism in Germany and its struggle against the Church is a much discussed subject at the moment in Russia. The fierceness of the antagonism to the Church in Germany is regarded as equal to that directed against the Church in Russia. Russian atheism rests upon the teachings of Karl Marx, while German paganism rests upon a simple atheism and race hatred. The final aim of both is the destruction of the Church. Russia considers the German pagan movement as an ' ice breaker ' for international atheism.